

FISCAL NOTE

SB 443 - HB 892

March 9, 2001

SUMMARY OF BILL: Removes the specification that the surrender of a defendant by a bail bondsman be before the forfeiture of their undertaking. Adds other "good causes" for surrender by a bail bondsman of a defendant including that a forfeit has been rendered against the defendant, that the defendant has failed to appear in court as ordered, and that the defendant has been arrested while on bond.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Expenditures - Not Significant

Estimate assumes to the extent the provisions of the bill lead to more defendants being surrendered to custody, local governments will experience a not significant increase in expenditures.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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